



Meeting with State Agency Directors and Gov 's Advisor

Douglas Jae P to: Richard Kauffman, Scott Downey, Sheila Fleming

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Cc: "Shibley Gail R"

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RE: ATSDR EI Report - EMBARGOED

DAUGHERTY Peter to: 'Dale Mitchel', DOUGLAS JAE P

12/08/2011 07:21 PM

Elizabeth Allen, "bermanf@ohsu.edu", "KNOTTS Bradley A",
Cc: "POKARNEY Bruce A", "BAYHAM Chris", "STONE CHRISTINE L",
"MITCHELL Dale L", "FARRER DAVID G", Scott Downey, Sheila

[attachment "ATSDR Hwy 36 EI report_interagency review ODF.docx" deleted by
Scott Downey/R10/USEPA/US]
Jae and Dale,

Attached is a version with the Department of Forestry's suggested edits and comments. With the short-turnaround time we could only edit the major points on forestry, and identify other areas of concern with comments. The report seems to be forestry centric, a concern we have raised in the past; it also show a lack of understanding of forests pesticide application (e.g., citing an insecticide (BT) study to infer drift potential of herbicide applications). There were a number of misstatements regarding forest practices (see Brad Knotts' comments and edits).

Thanks for the opportunity to review, Peter

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Subject: ATSDR EI Report - EMBARGOED

Hi All,

Attached you will find an embargoed draft of the Exposure Investigation report, prepared by ATSDR in cooperation with OHA. As with previous items, we have a quick turnaround on this. Please review and provide comments by COB on Thursday, 12/8.

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Re: Fw: Meeting with State Agency Directors and Gov 's Advisor

Lauris Davies to: Scott Downey

12/09/2011 08:34 AM

Cc: Anthony Barber, Edward Kowalski, Sheila Fleming

okay! and thanks. I agree that if state agency heads are there and very curious about EPA's goals, it'd be good to have a backstop for you with one of us.

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## Fw: PARC - Landowner meeting

Sheila Fleming, Elizabeth Allen, Kay Morrison,  
**Scott Downey** to: Linda Liu, Schulze.Chad, Erin Williams, Alan  
Henning, David Powers, Anthony Barber, Jill

12/09/2011 09:04 AM

Cc: Lauris Davies

I accepted the invite but indicated I would call in. We can use my office or perhaps the ATSDR conf room if we have too many folks and Richard's game. Let me know if you plan to participate. We should have a pre-meeting too. It's not clear whether this is an official PARC meeting or just the Triangle Lake agencies meeting with the industry reps and whether the agenda topics below relate to this meeting or another. And I can't imagine this taking five hours.

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PARC - Landowner meeting



Wed 12/14/2011 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Attendance is for Scott Downey

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Folks,

Based on the responses to polls, the best meeting time is Wednesday 12/14/2011 from 1-5 PM. The meeting will be at the Department of Forestry, 2600 State Street, Salem in the Old Board Room in Bldg B (the State foresters' Building). There will be a call in option for those who cannot make it in person, if it is needed. Please let me know if you cannot make it in person.

Thanks, Peter

Next Meeting - Draft Agenda

1. Planning and logistics for spring pre- and post-spray sampling
2. Protocols for air sampling - scope of exposure investigation
3. Update on status of Investigation (e.g., Report on Dec.1 Governors staff meeting)
4. Public Information and Communication Plans (would be good if PIOs, Bruce, Karen, and Kevin could participate for this topic)

Personal Notes